

UNIT CODE : EPY 810  
COURSE TITLE : ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY  
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**EXAMINATION FOR 2013/2014 ACADEMIC YEAR  
INSTRUCTIONS:**

Answer three questions. Question one is compulsory.

Question one.

- a. Explain the following concepts .i).psychopharmacology (3marks).  
ii). antidepressant(3marks).  
ii). trauma (3marks).
- b. Explain the functions of the brain . (6 marks)
- C .trace the historical and philosophical foundations of abnormality.5marks.

Question two.

Discuss any three types of stress and their psychological manifestations.20 marks.

Question three.

- a. Describe the Criteria for defining abnormal behavior 10 marks:
  - b. Discuss the biological theories that Explain abnormal behaviour. 10 marks.
- Question four.
- a. Describe three purposes of neuropsychological tests 15 marks. .)
  - b what is DSM-IV-TR. 5marks.

Question five .

Discuss the Pros and cons of formal diagnosis using DSM-IV-R : 20 marks.

Or discuss the Axis of the DSM-IV-TR. 20 marks.

Question six.

- a .Explain three ways of defining abnormal behaviour. 5 marks.
  - b. Discuss three general risk factors for mental illness. 10 marks.
- C explain three problems associated with drug therapy in the treatment of mental disorders. 5 marks.